

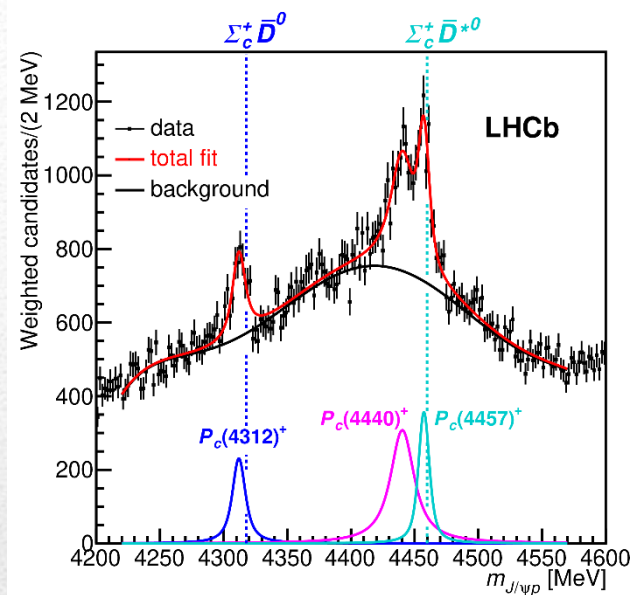
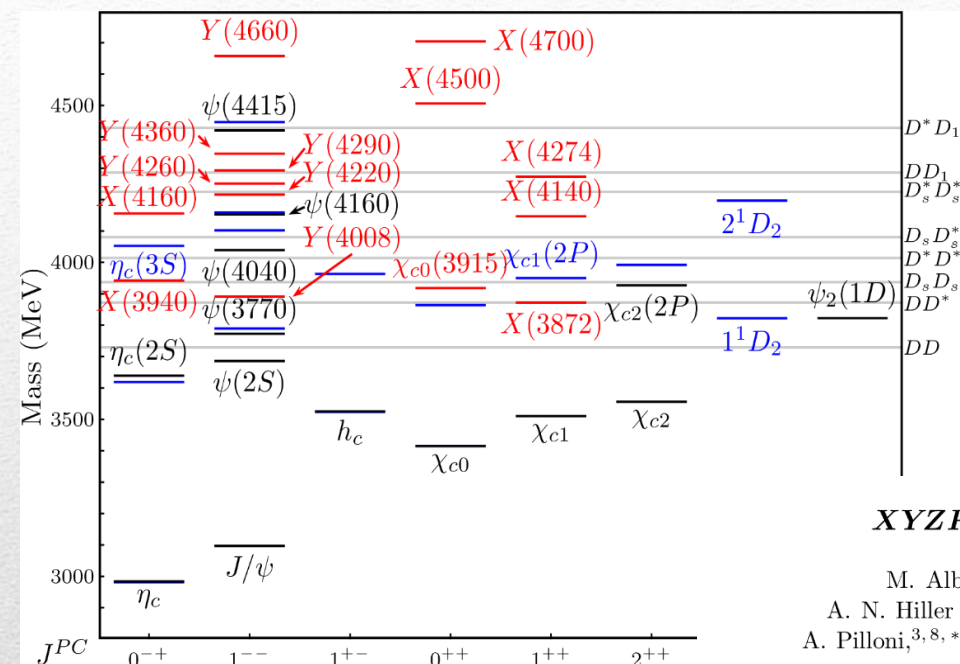
# XYZP spectroscopy at a charm photoproduction factory

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# Exotic landscape



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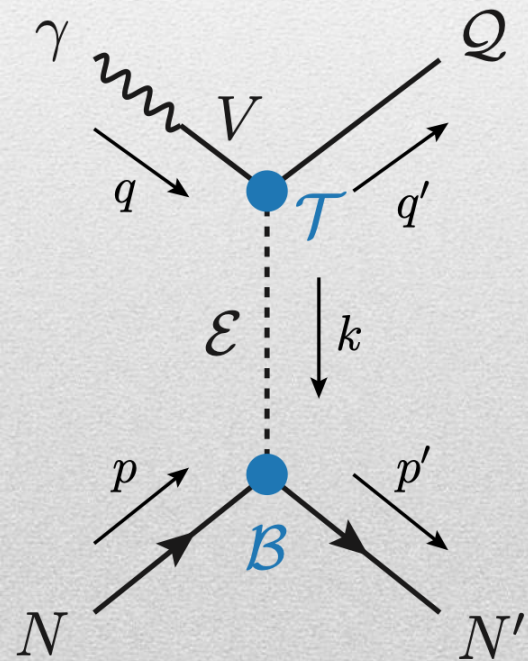
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M. Albaladejo et al. [JPAC],  
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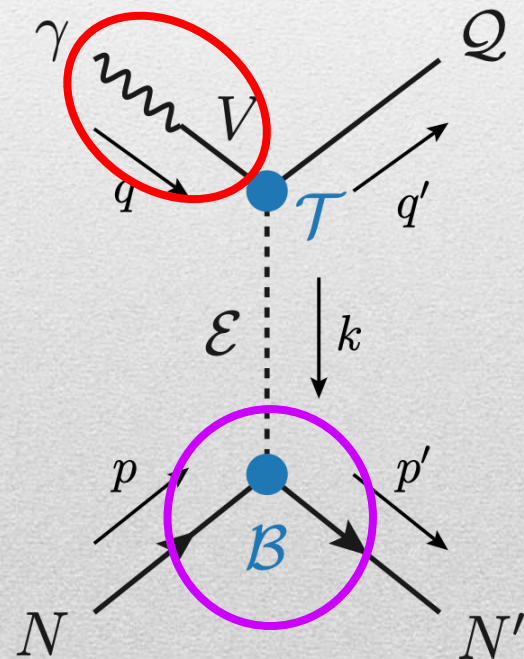
- XYZ have so far not been seen in photoproduction: independent confirmation
- Not affected by 3-body dynamics: determination of resonant nature
- Polarized photon and nucleon give further information on the exchanges



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VMD is used to couple the incoming photon to a vector quarkonium V

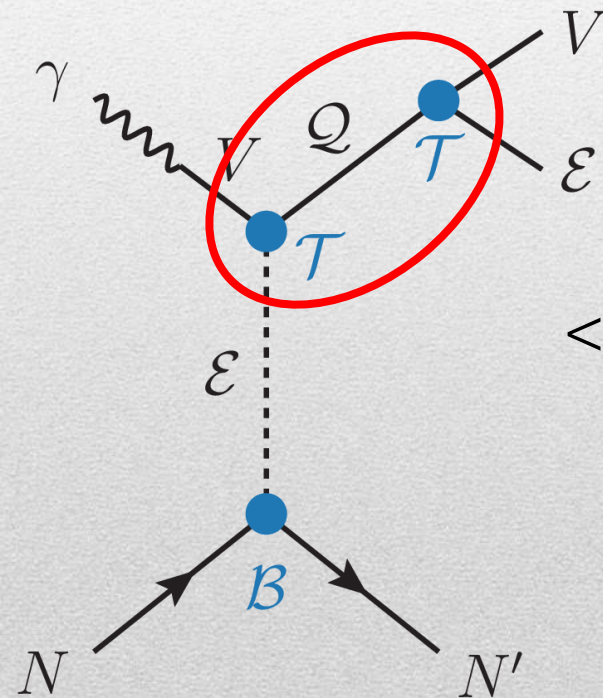
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Bottom vertex from standard photoproduction pheno, exponential form factors to further suppress large t



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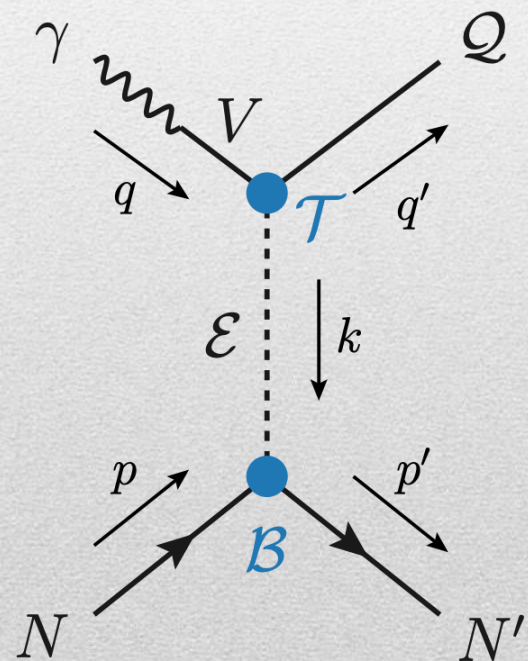


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Top vertex well constrained by production and decay

# Threshold vs. high energy

- Fixed-spin exchanges expected to hold in the low energy region
- $t$  channel grows as  $s^j$ , exceeding unitarity bound, Regge physics kicks in: Reggeized tower of particles with arbitrary spin at HE



$$s^j \longrightarrow s^{\alpha_0 + \alpha' t}$$

Holds at low energy,  
fixed spin

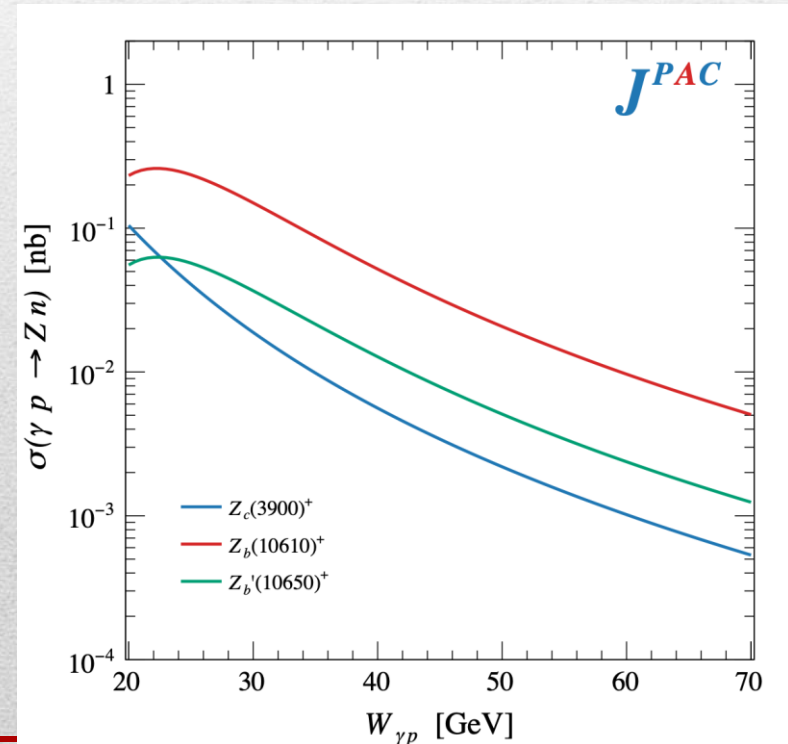
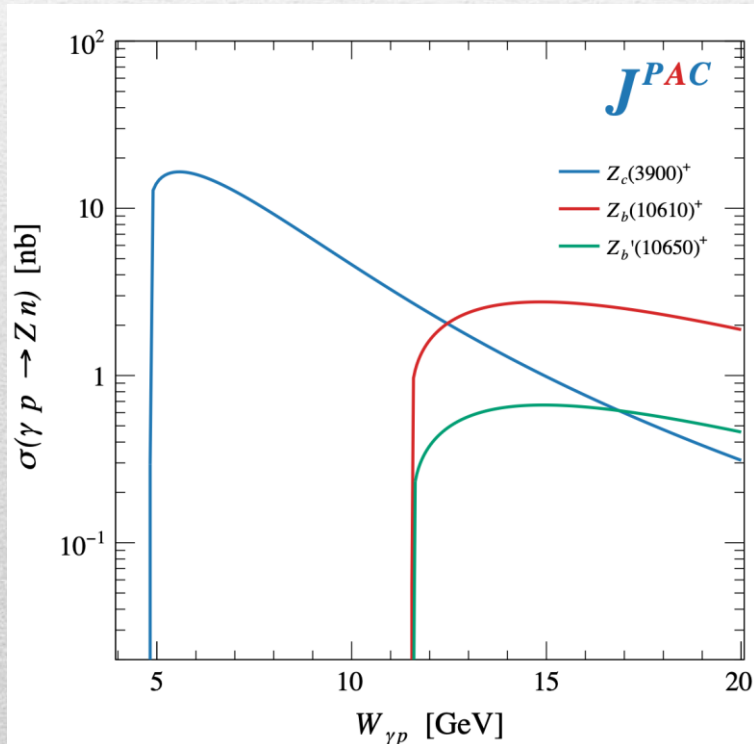
Holds at high energy,  
resummation  
of leading  $s$  power

- If  $\epsilon \neq \text{IP}$ ,  $\alpha_0 < 1$ ,  $d\sigma/dt$  decreases with energy
- Exchange of heavy particles further suppressed



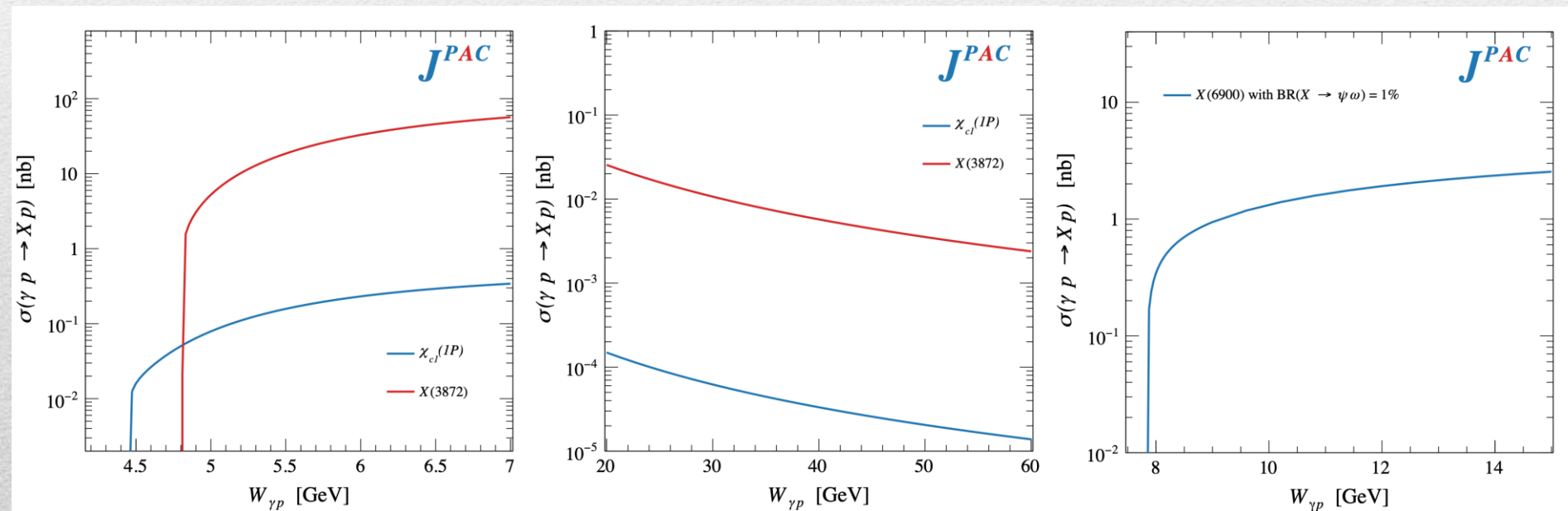
# Z photoproduction

- The  $Z$ s are charged charmoniumlike  $1^{+-}$  states close to open flavor thresholds
- Focus on  $Z_c(3900)^+ \rightarrow J/\psi \pi^+$ ,  $Z_b(10610)^+$ ,  $Z_b'(10650)^+ \rightarrow \Upsilon(nS) \pi^+$
- The pion is exchanged in the  $t$ -channel
- Sizeable cross sections especially at LE



# X photoproduction

- Focus on the famous  $1^{++}$   $X(3872) \rightarrow J/\psi \rho, \omega$
- Studying also  $X(6900) \rightarrow J/\psi J/\psi$  (assumed  $0^{++}$ )
- $\omega$  and  $\rho$  exchanges give main contributions:  
need to assume the existence of a OZI-suppressed  $X(6900) \rightarrow J/\psi \omega$
- Extremely suppressed cross sections at HE: LE most promising





# An example of yield estimate

- Example with an ideal CharminGlueX detector
- $E_{\text{lab}} \sim 20 \text{ GeV}$ , photon flux  $10^8 \text{ } \gamma/\text{s}$
- Typical target,  $500 \text{ pb}^{-1} / \text{yr}$
- Assuming efficiency 1%

	$W_{\gamma p}$ (GeV)	$\sigma$ (nb)	$\mathcal{B}(\mathcal{Q} \rightarrow \ell^+ \ell^- n\pi) (\times 10^{-3})$	Counts	Comparison
$X(3872)$	6	33.1	5.3	877	$\sim 90$ [52]
$Z_c(3900)^+$		15.9	12.5	994	$\sim 1300$ [15]
$Z_b(10610)^+$	15	2.8	2.6	36	$\sim 750$ [53]
$Z'_b(10650)^+$		0.66	2.1	7	$\sim 200$ [53]
$\mathcal{B}(J/\psi \rightarrow \ell^+ \ell^-)^2 (\times 10^{-3})$					
$X(6900)$	12	1.9	14	133	$\sim 800$ [32]

# Conclusions

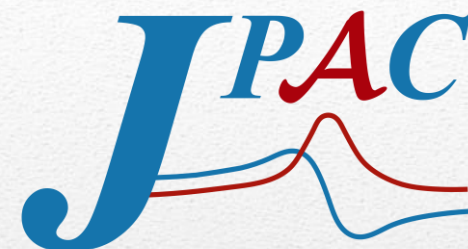
- Photoproduction is a valuable tool to study exotic states
- Complementary information to other mechanisms
- Facilities to study photoproduction at low energies are very welcome to pursue this program
- As for writing: some overlap with the EIC Yellow Report (see Lol RF7\_RF0\_090 and J. Stevens's talk), more material to be produced during the next year

**Thank you!**

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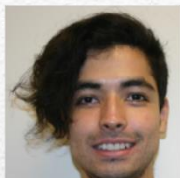
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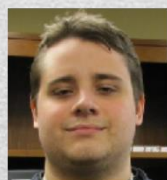
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Code available on  
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dwinney/jpacPhoto](https://github.com/dwinney/jpacPhoto)

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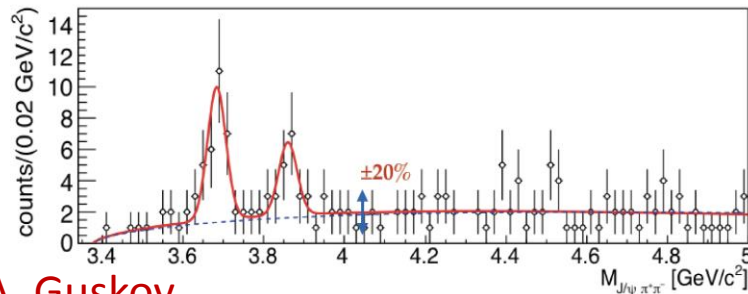
# Another $\tilde{X}$ ?

## $\tilde{X}(3872)$ as a new state

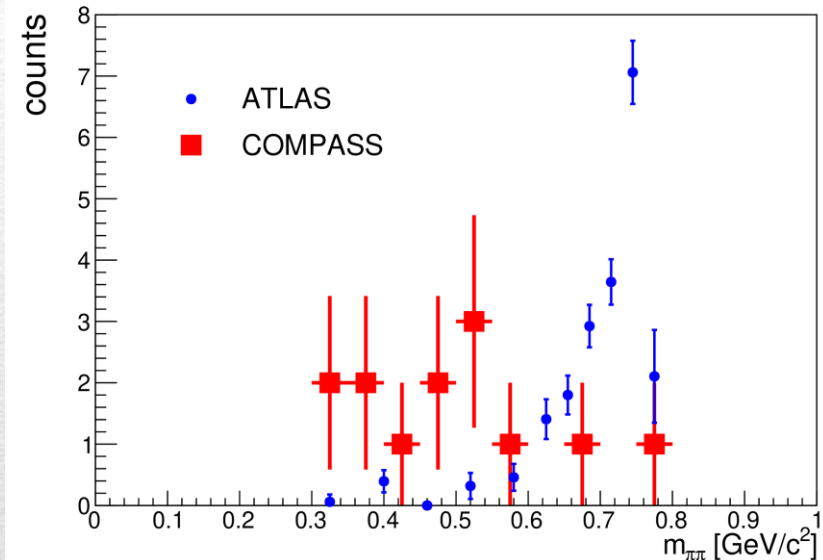
$$m_{\tilde{X}(3872)} = (3860.0 \pm 10.4) \text{ MeV}/c^2$$

$$\Gamma_{\tilde{X}(3872)} < 51 \text{ MeV}/c^2 \text{ (CL=90\%)}$$

Significance (including systematics) is  $4.1\sigma$   
 $C = -1$  (?)



A. Guskov



COMPASS claimed the existence of a state degenerate with the  $X(3872)$ , but with  $C = 1$

Large photoproduction cross section

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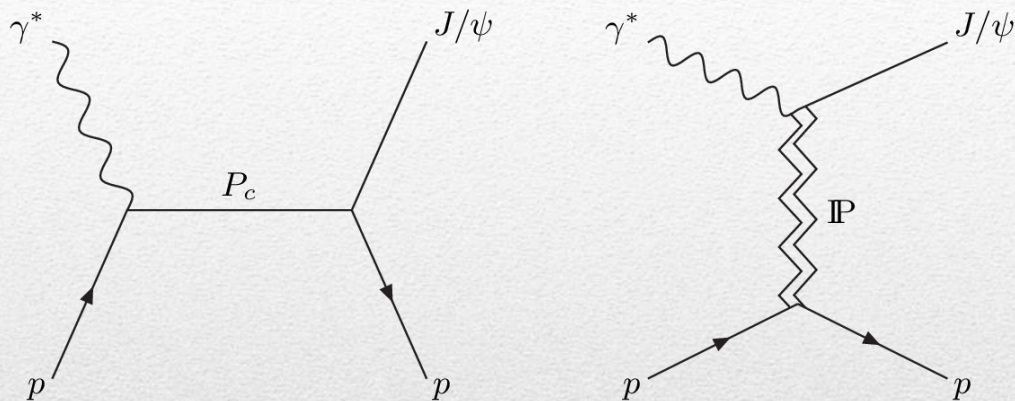
At COMPASS conditions:

$$\sigma_{\mu N} \approx \sigma_{\gamma N} / 300$$

**EIC**  $L = 10^{34} \text{ cm}^{-2} \text{ s}^{-1}$

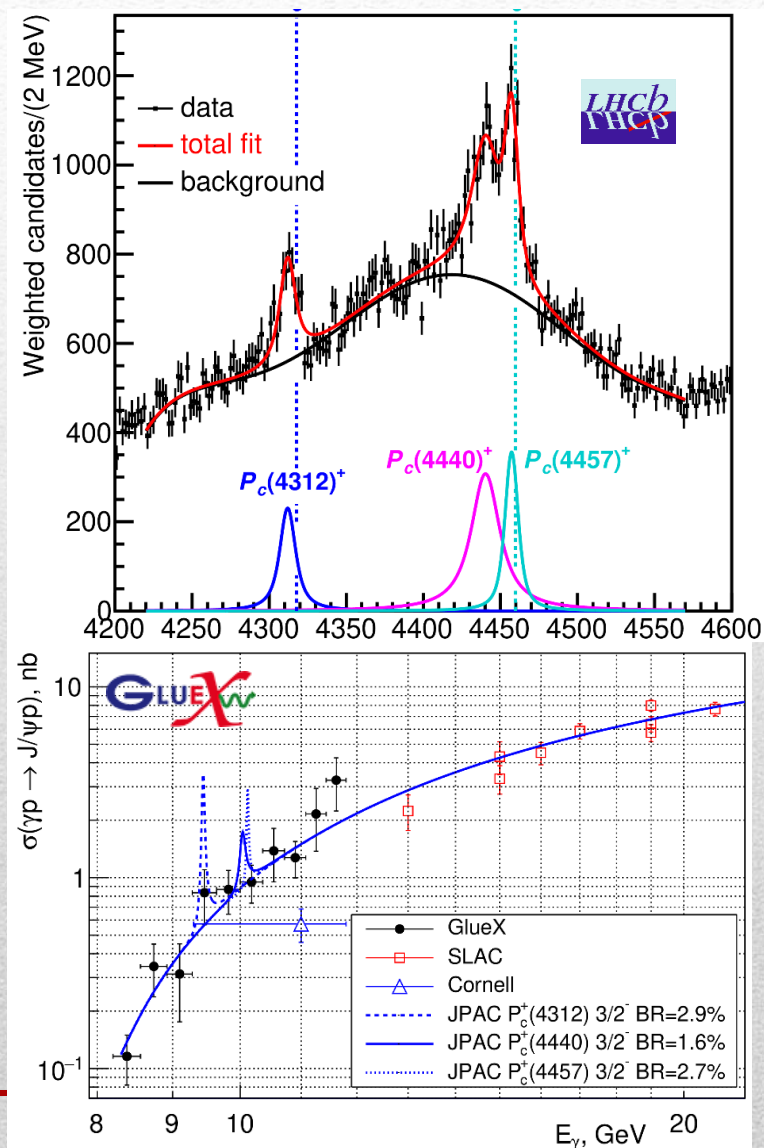
$e^- N \rightarrow e^- \tilde{X}(3872) \pi^\pm N' \rightarrow$   
 $\rightarrow e^- J/\psi \pi^+ \pi^- \pi^\pm N' \rightarrow e^- \mu^+ \mu^- \pi^+ \pi^- \pi^\pm N'$   
 **$\sim 10$  events per day**

# Exclusive $P_c$ photoproduction



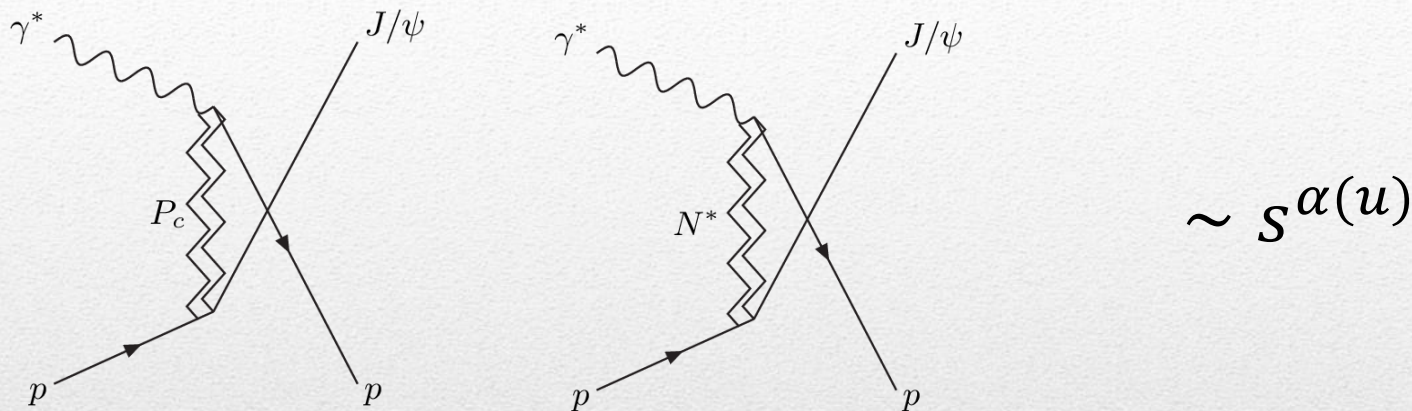
At Jlab12 measurements of direct  $P_c$  production are being performed

Using VMD,  $\text{BR}(P_c \rightarrow J/\psi p) \sim 1\%$





# Polarized $P_c$ photoproduction



- $s$  channel resonances significant at low energies:  
   $u$  channel dominates at high energies
- Main background from  $N^{(*)}$  trajectories
- Estimated  $P_c$  coupling upper bound of same order of magnitude as  $N^{(*)}$  coupling
- Reggeization suppresses  $P_c$  due to larger mass (smaller trajectory intercept)
- We estimate that the  $P_c$  trajectories will hardly be visible at the EIC
- $P_b$  searches still possible:  $s$  channel at higher energies!

Cao et al., Phys.Rev. D 101, 074010 (2020)

E. Paryev, arXiv:2007.01172 [nucl-th] (2020)

# $Y$ (vector) photoproduction

- Focus on the  $1^{--} Y(4260) \rightarrow J/\psi \pi^+ \pi^-$ , check with  $\psi' \rightarrow J/\psi \pi^+ \pi^-$
- Diffractive production, dominated by Pomeron (2-gluon) exchange
- Good candidates for EIC: diffractive production increases with energy!
- We have  $\gamma\psi$ -pomeron coupling from our analyses 1606.08912, 1907.09393

How to rescale from  $J/\psi$  to  $\psi'$  ?

$$R_{\psi'} = \sqrt{\frac{g^2(\psi' \rightarrow \gamma gg)}{g^2(\psi \rightarrow \gamma gg)}} \sim 0.55 \qquad g^2(\psi \rightarrow \gamma gg) = \frac{6m_\psi \mathcal{B}(\psi \rightarrow \gamma gg) \Gamma_\psi}{\text{PS}(\psi \rightarrow \gamma gg)}$$



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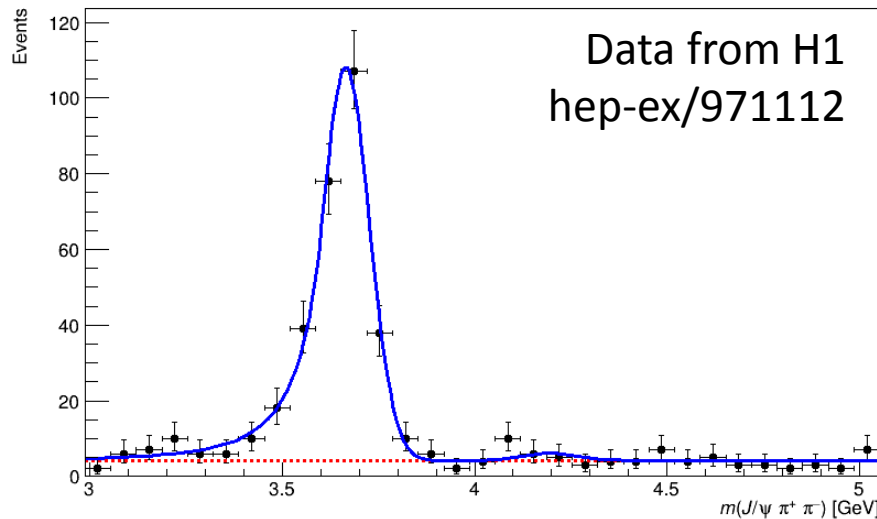
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We assume VMD and  $g^2(Y \rightarrow \psi\pi\pi) = g^2(Y \rightarrow \psi gg) \times g^2(gg \rightarrow \pi\pi)$  (Novikov & Shifman)

$$R_Y = \frac{ef_\psi}{m_\psi} \sqrt{\frac{g^2(Y \rightarrow \psi\pi\pi) g^2(\psi' \rightarrow \psi gg)}{g^2(\psi \rightarrow \gamma gg) g^2(\psi' \rightarrow \psi\pi\pi)}}$$

Caveat :  $BR(Y \rightarrow \psi\pi\pi)$  only known times the leptonic width  $\Gamma_{ee}^Y$

# $Y$ (vector) photoproduction



Existing data allow to put a 95% upper limit on the ratio of  $\psi'/Y(4260)$  yields

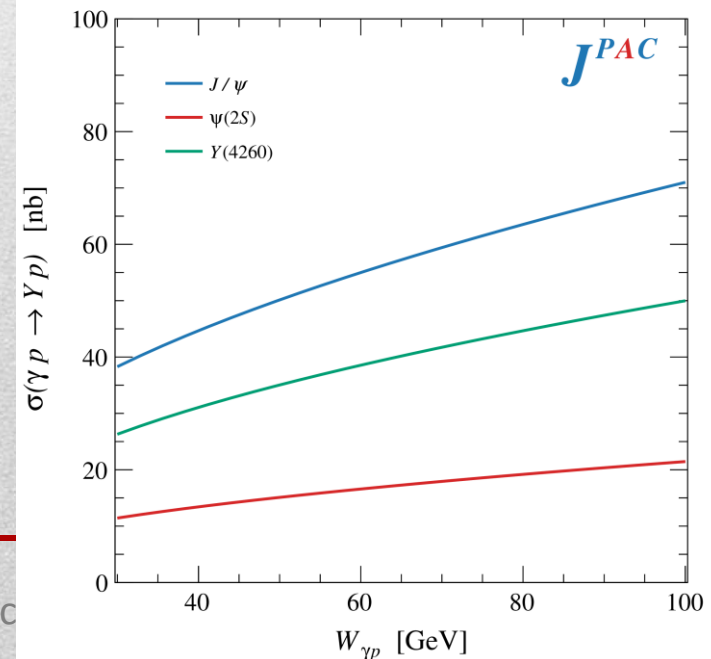
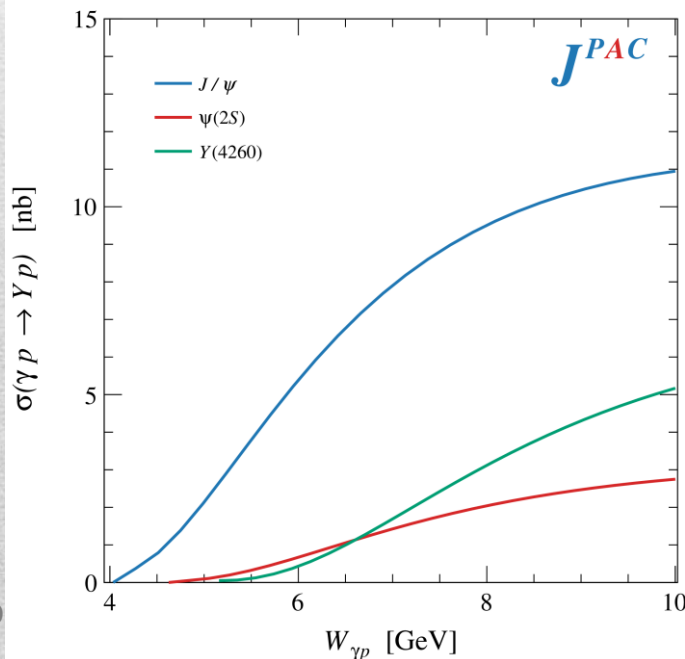
Assuming previous formula, one gets:

$$\Gamma_{ee}^Y = 930 \text{ eV}$$

(cfr. hep-ex/0603024, 2002.05641)

$$BR(Y \rightarrow J/\psi \pi \pi) = 0.96\%$$

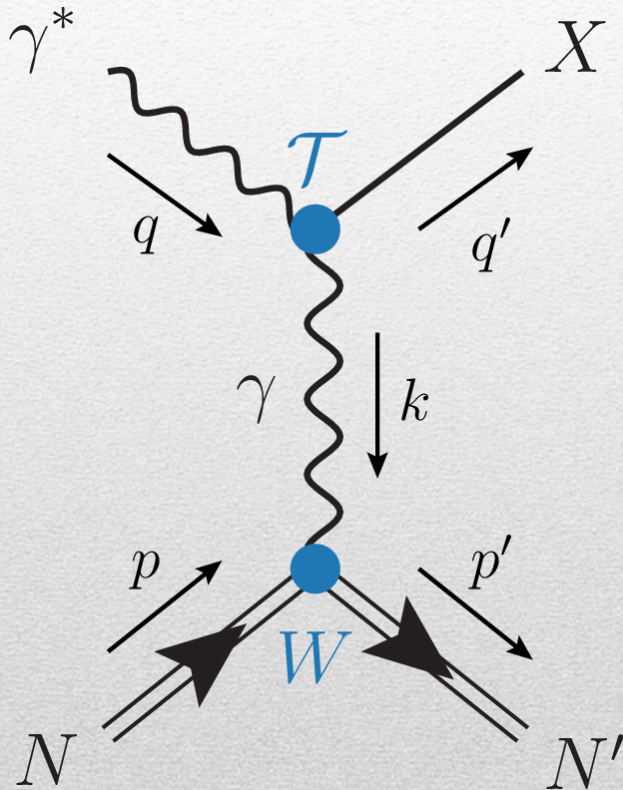
$$R_Y = 0.84$$



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# Primakoff X photoproduction

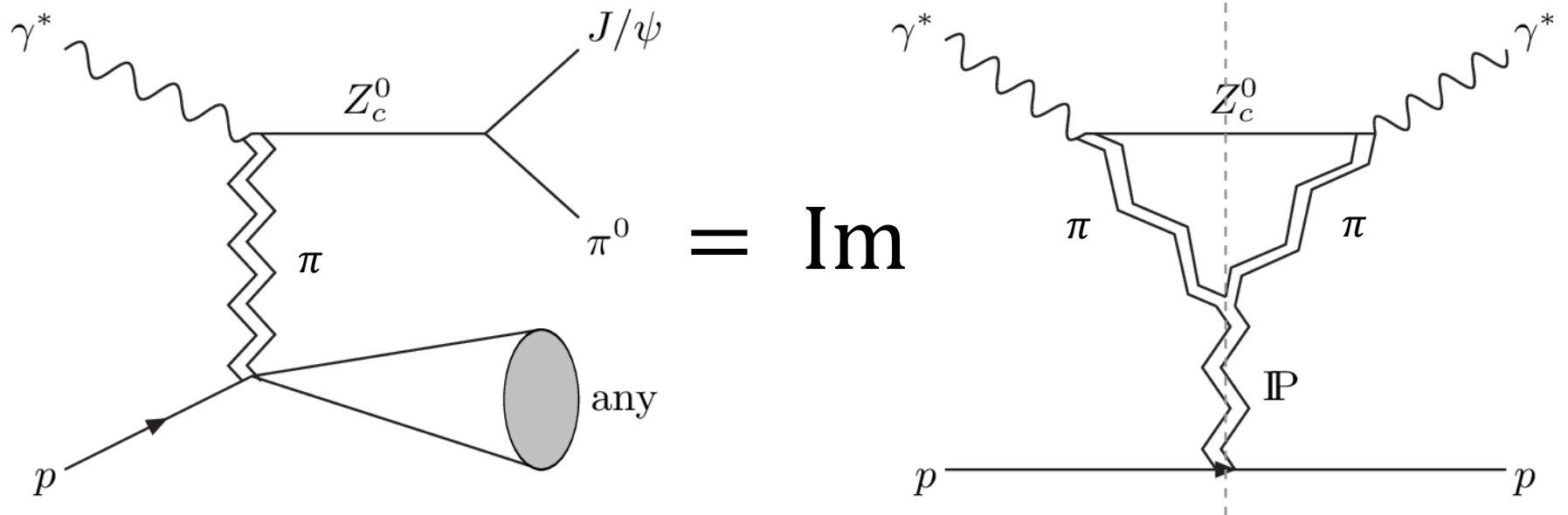


Using measurement of  $\Gamma(X \rightarrow \gamma\gamma^*)$  from Belle, one can get predictions for Primakoff

Makes use of the ion beam, enhancement of cross sections as  $Z^2$



# Diffractive semi-inclusive $Z_c$ ph.



If the target fragments are separated from the beam ones, one can invoke Regge factorization

Quark-Regge duality allows to replace the intermediate hadrons with Pomeron , prediction reliable for  $x_B \sim 1$ ,  $t \ll W_{\gamma p}^2$

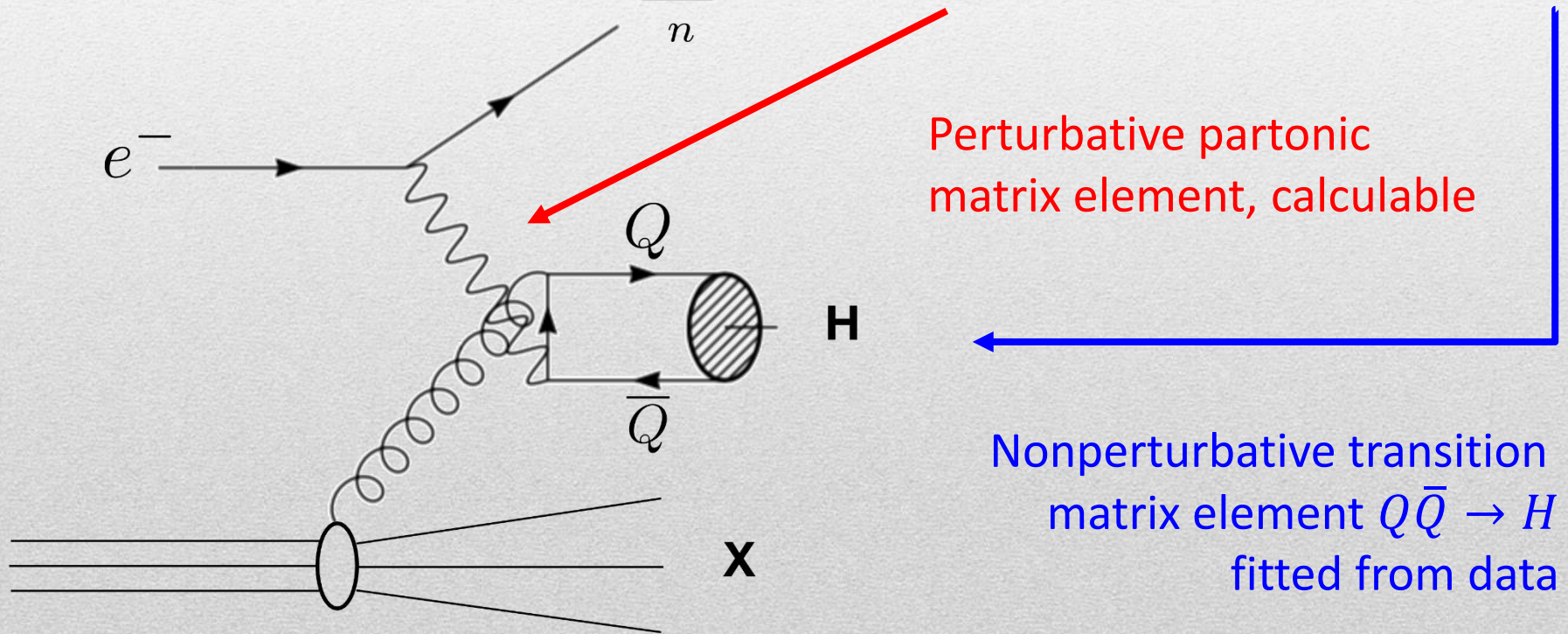


# Semi-inclusive $X$ production

X. Yao

For large  $Q^2$  one can invoke NRQCD factorization to describe quarkonium(-like) production

$$d\sigma(e^- + p \rightarrow H + X) = \sum_n d\sigma(e^- + p \rightarrow Q\bar{Q}(n) + X) \langle \mathcal{O}^H(n) \rangle$$



# Semi-inclusive $X$ production

One can assume the same NRQCD factorization for exotics, independent of their internal structure

$$\sigma[X(3872)] = \sum_n \hat{\sigma}[c\bar{c}_n] \langle \mathcal{O}_n^X \rangle.$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Br}[X \rightarrow J/\psi \pi^+ \pi^-] & (\langle \mathcal{O}_8^X(^3S_1) \rangle + 0.159 \langle \mathcal{O}_8^X(^1S_0) \rangle + 0.085 \langle \mathcal{O}_1^X(^1S_0) \rangle \\ & + 0.00024 \langle \mathcal{O}_1^X(^3S_1) \rangle) = (2.7 \pm 0.6) \times 10^{-4} \text{ GeV}^3 \end{aligned}$$

Artoisenet and Braaten, PRD81, 114018 from Tevatron data

If one consider the first term only, it leads to

$$\text{Br}[X \rightarrow J/\psi \pi^+ \pi^-] \sigma(X(3872), Q^2 > 1 \text{ GeV}) \approx 2.6 \text{ pb} \quad \sqrt{s} = 100 \text{ GeV}$$

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